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May 15, 2018

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Ms. Bonnie Tully, Vice President / Site Manager Evonik Corporation 4201 Evonik Road Theodore, Alabama 36582

Dear Ms. Tully:

Subject:

Warning Letter

Evonik Corporation (Evonik)

EPA Identification Number ALD075045575

Based on an inspection conducted on March 22, 2018, the Department has determined that Evonik failed to comply with certain requirements of Division 14 of the ADEM Administrative Code. This determination is based on the following:

1. ADEM Admin. Code 335-14-6-.02(7)(b) states facility personnel whose duties have a direct effect on hazardous waste management and /or hazardous waste accumulation must successfully complete a program of classroom instruction or on-the-job training within six months after the date of their employment.

Ms. Nicolle Rayburn was hired by Evonik in December 2016 and had not received hazardous waste training at the time of the inspection. Ms. Rayburn received training on March 26, 2018.

2. ADEM Admin. Code r. 335-14-6-.04(4)(b) requires that copies of a facility's contingency plan and all revisions be submitted to all local law enforcement, fire departments, hospitals, and ADEM Field Operations Division and local emergency response teams that may be called upon to provide emergency services. Documentation of the submittal must be maintained at the facility.

Evonik could not demonstrate that their contingency plan had been submitted to local authorities and emergency response teams at the time of the inspection. Evonik submitted their contingency plan to local authorities on March 28, 2018.



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The inspection findings noted above have been corrected by Evonik through documentation received by the Department. No further action is anticipated at this time.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Lanny Sasser at (334) 271-7768 or via email at msasser@adem.alabama.gov.

Sincerely,

Brent A. Watson, Chief

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